

REMARKS

I. STATUS OF THE CLAIMS

In accordance with the foregoing, various claims are amended herein. Support for the amended claims can be found, for example, on page 24, lines 1-10 of the specification.

Claims 1, 5-8, 11-13 and 17-20 are now pending for reconsideration.

No new matter is being presented, and approval and entry are respectfully requested.

II. CLAIMS 1, 5-8, 11-13 and 17-20 ARE REJECTED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 102(e) AS BEING ANTICIPATED BY GOMES ET AL (U.S. PATENT NO. 6,615,209)

The Examiner asserts Gomes et al. (Gomes) teaches the features as recited for example, in the previous claim 1, including generating a document containing retrieved URLs and the retrieved titles and that the URL information is registered into the database in advance of the providing request by a user of the client. (citing column 16, line 5 thru column 17, line 6 of Gomes, see page 3 of the Office Action).

The independent claims are amended herein to further clarify the invention. The access site taught by Gomes simply refers to a URL address. In contrast, for example, the amended claim 1 recites the access site information contains ***information on the location of an access site through which said client accesses said network.***

Furthermore, Gomes simply discloses a method of not collecting duplicated documents in an information search system. (see Abstract). However, Gomes fails to disclose *a piece of access site information containing information on the location of an access site through which the client accesses the network and wherein the client has a plurality of access sites and accesses said network through a selected access site among the plurality of access sites*, as recited, for example, in amended claim 1. Therefore, Gomes does not disclose all the features of the present invention, as recited, for example, in amended claim 1.

The Examiner asserts Gomes teaches a *document-generating* feature, as recited, for example, in claim 1. However, the passage cited by the Examiner in rejecting claim 1, only discloses, for example, "the repository 814', or some other source of (decompressed) documents, returns to the requested (decompressed) documents to the query-relevant information extraction process 934 as indicated by communication 1445." (see column 16, lines 11-15 of Gomes). The documents discussed in this passage are stored documents generated from a previously search query. (see column 15, lines 45 – column 16, line 61 of Gomes). However, Gomes does not disclose *generating a document containing retrieved URLs and*

retrieved titles, wherein the database stores different URLs according to each piece of access site information, as recited, for example, in claim 1.

The Examiner also asserts Gomes teaches the *transmitting module*, as recited, for example, in claim 1. However, for example, the amended claim 1, now recites, *transmitting the generated document to the client ... whereby the client obtains a different document according to the selected access site*. Gomes fails to disclose *the client obtains a different document according to the selected access site*, as recited, for example, in claim 1.

Therefore, Gomes does not anticipate the present invention, because; Gomes does not disclose all the features of the present invention, as recited for example, in the amended claim 1.

Although the above comments are specifically directed to claim 1, for example, it is respectfully submitted that the comments would be helpful in understanding various differences of various other claims (*i.e. claims 5-8, 11-13 and 17-20*) over the cited reference.

In view of the claim amendments and remarks, withdrawal of the rejection and allowance of claims 1, 5-8, 11-13 and 17-20 is respectfully requested.

III. CONCLUSION

There being no further outstanding objections or rejections, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. An early action to that effect is courteously solicited.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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